

ANNOUNCEMENT

FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION *SECTION 5311 PROGRAM FUNDS*

Rural and Small Urban *FIXED ROUTE* Public Transportation -and- Intercity Bus Transportation

For Fiscal Year 2009

The Utah Department of Transportation is pleased to announce the availability of approximately \$1,261,400 federal funds to assist eligible non-profit organizations toward the purchase of buses, vans, specialized mini-buses and support equipment to provide public transportation services in Utah rural and small urban area's.

ELIGIBLE NON-PROFIT APPLICANTS ARE:

- a. Local Public bodies and agencies thereof**
- b. Non-profit organizations (Registered U.S.C. Section 501(c)(3).**
- c. Indian Tribes**
- d. Operators of fixed route public transportation services**

In addition, approximately \$189,210.00 federal funds are available for Intercity Bus Service serving Utah rural and small urban area's. Eligible applicants are the same as listed above with the addition of Over The Road Intercity Bus Providers.

This program is authorized by U.S.C. 49 § 5311 and is apportioned by U.S. Secretary of Transportation to each state annually.

For more information concerning these funding opportunities and/or an application packet please contact:

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Special needs formats made available upon request.

NOTE: Deadline for completed applications is Friday, April 15, 2005